

## PROJECT 10073 RECORD

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 27 May 1966 27/0800Z	2. LOCATION Vermillion, South Dakota
3. SOURCE Civilian	10. CONCLUSION <del>Possible</del> Possible (AIRCRAFT) ✓ <i>JW</i>
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS <del>One</del> One	
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 2 Minutes	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS Object looked like a very high satellite. Object was blinking approximately every two seconds. There was no traail, tail or exhaust and no sound noted. The object was in a orbital path traveling northwest to southwest and was zagging and jerrking, <del>finally</del> finally disappearing in the SE. The blinking of the object suffests an aircraft.
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground-Visual	
7. COURSE SE	
8. PHOTOS <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <del>No</del>	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <del>No</del>	

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*27 May 66  
6800Z S.D.*

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ACTION: RDC-4 INFO : NIN-7, XOP-1, XOPX-2, SAFOS-3, DIA-1 (19)

ADV CY DIA

SMB A214CZCBVD178

PFTU JAW RUEDWXB0635 1472214-UUUU--RUEDHQA.

DE RUWGNP 14 1472012

ZNR UUUUU

P 272000Z

FM 30 AIR DIV SIOUX CITY MUNI APRT IOWA

TO RUWMFV A/ADC

RUWGKG/10 AF RICHARDS GEBEUR AFB MO

RUEBBAA/AFSC

RUEDHQA/HQ USAF

RUEDHQA/OSAF WASH DC

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UNCLAS/300DC-1 00912 MAY 66. FOR ADDIN AT ADC

100IN AT 10AF; AFSC(FTD) AT AFSC; AFNIN AT USAF;

SAFOI AT OSAT. UFO REPORT. REF PARA 14 A, AFR 200-2:

- (1) OBLONG. (2) SATELLITE VERY HIGH ALSO LIKE A FIREFLY (3) WHITISH BLUE. (4) ONE. (5) NO FORMATION.
- (6) OBJECT WAS BLINKING APPROXIMATELY EVERY TWO SECONDS. (7) NONE. (8) NO SOUND. (9) OBJECT WAS OBSERVED ZIG ZAGGING AND JERKING. REF. PARA 14 B:

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(1) OBSERVER WAS LYING ON GRASS IN FRONT OF FRATERNITY  
HOUSE LOOKING UP AT THE STARS. (2) OBJECT WAS NORTHWEST  
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OF OBSERVER'S POSITION/NO OTHER INFORMATION GIVEN.  
(3) DID NOT OBSERVE. (4) OBJECT IN AN ORBITAL PATH TRAVELING  
NORTHWEST TO SOUTHWEST AND WAS ZIG ZAGGING AND JERKING.  
(5) WENT OUT OF VIUAL CONTACT IN SOUTHEAST. (6) LESS  
THAT TWO MINUTES. REF. PARA. 14C: (1) GROUND VISUAL.  
REF PARA. 14D: (1) 0800Z, 27 MAY 66. (2) NIGHT, CLEAR,  
QUARTER MOON. REF. PARA 14E: VERMILLION, SOUTH DAKOTA.  
REF. PARA 14F: (1) MR. [REDACTED] AGE 21 YRS., FAULKTON,  
SOUTH DAKOTA. REF. PARA. 14G: (1) CLEAR. (2) SFC 0804,  
6M 2715, 10M 3510, 20M 3515, 30M 3315, 50M 3115, 80M 2720.  
(3) CLEAR (4) 15PLUS (5) ZERO. (6) NONE. (7) 2-5C/1000 FT.  
REF PARA. 14H: NONE, REF. PARA 14I: NONE. REF PARA 14J:  
N/A. REF PARA 14K: 1ST LT NEVILLE C HERBERT, USAF,  
30 TH AIR DIV INTELLIGENCE OFFICER, SIOUX CITY, IOWA.  
I BELIEVE THIS COULD HAVE POSSIBLY BEEN A SATELITE  
IN ORBIT OR IN A DEORBITING PATTERN. REF PARA 14L: NONE.

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